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SHIPPING.

AIRLAVES.
July 30, LEEANG, British steamer, 1,002 W.,
Sawor, Shanghai 27th July, General.—JAR-
DINE, MATTHESON & CO.

JULY 31, MELITA, German str., 33t, H. Morek,
Haihung 28th July, General—A. R.
MARTY.

JULY 31, VORWERTHS, German steamer, 312 J.,
Brusn, Pakhoi 28th July, and Hollow 30th,
General.—WIEHLER & CO.

JULY 31, QIUYUEN, Chinese steamer, 1,121,
W. H. Lunt, Whampoa 31st July, General—
C. M. S. N. CO.

JULY 31, TENTOR, British steamer, 1,397, T. T.
Edwards, Slung 25th July, and Foochow
29th, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

JULY 31, CHENG HOE KIAN, British str., 956,
F. Webb, Penang 20th July, Singapore
2nd, and Heibon 30th, General.—BUN
LIAO CHAN.

JULY 31, SIGNAL, German steamer, 385, A. A.
Hunnewell, Pakhoi 28th July, and Hollow
30th, General.—SIEMSEN & CO.

JULY 31, HORNO, Dutch str., 1,433, Wilkens,
Amoy 26th July, General.—JARDINE, MA-
TESEN & CO.

JULY 31, ACTIV, Danish steamer, 260, Roskobek,
Haihung and Huihow 28th July, General.—
ANKHOLM, KARBERG & CO.

JULY 31, ANIMO, German steamer, 777, T. S.
Madsen, Swatow 30th July, General—
CHINESE.

JULY 31, ATHOLL, British steamer, 932, Coulter,
Swatow 30th July, General.—BUN HIN
CHAN.

JULY 31, CHASSURE, French gunboat, Le Gorette,
Haihung 29th July.

AUGUST 1, VOLGA, French steamer, 1,515, dn
Temple, Yokohama 25th July, and Kobe
27th, Mails and General—MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

AUGUST 1, CASTRETHON, British steamer, 1,408,
J. W. B. Durke, R.N.R., Adelaide 17th
June, Sydney 26th, via Queensland Ports,
General.—RUSSELL & CO.

AUGUST 1, GALATEA, British ship, 1,694, Wm.
Cottile, Cardiff 21st April, Coal—BORNEO
CO., LIMITED.

AUGUST 1, CRUSADE, British steamer, 648, T.
Rowin, Hollow 31st July, General.—A. R.
MARTY.

AUGUST 1, DEUTEROS, German steamer, 1,197,
Luthien, Saigon 25th July, Rice and Gen-
eral.—SIEMSEN & CO.

AUGUST 1, GALLERY OF LORNE, British str., 1,380,
Pomroy, Saigon 27th July, Rice and Paddy,
—BUNNELL & CO.

AUGUST 1, INGRABAN, German steamer, 894, T.
E. Musman, Swatow 1st July, General—
CHINESE.

OLDEANCES.
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE,
31ST JULY.

Cheng Hoek Kian, British str., for Swatow,
Danube, British str., for Bangkok.

Stentor, British str., for Singapore.

Signal, German str., for Hollow.

Clara, German str., for Hollow.

Firth 1, British str., for Wenchow.

Melita, German str., for Haihung.

Whampoa, British str., for Foochow.

Menelaus, British str., for Amoy.

Elie, German str., for Nagasaki.

Amoy, British str., for Shanghai.

Kong Bong, British str., for Swatow.

Canton, British str., for Shanghai.

Currie House, Amoy, bark for Amoy.

Gro. R. Shetfield, Amoy, ship for San Francisco.

Chi-yuen, Chinese str., for Swatow.

DEPARTURES.

JULY 31, HAVENTON, British str., for Nagasaki.

JULY 31, PRINZ GEORG, German steamer, for
Shanghai.

JULY 31, LOIRE IMPERIALE, French str., for
Swatow.

S. E. ELBE, German str., for Nagasaki.

JULY 31, WHAMPOA, British str., for Australia.

AUGUST 1, BRITISH, British str., for London.

AUGUST 1, KONG BONG, British str., for Swatow.

AUGUST 1, MENELAUS, British str., for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS.
ARRIVED.

Per Melita, str., from Haiphong—3 Chinese.

Per Vorwerts, str., from Pakhoi, &c.—20
Chinese.

Per Leesang, str., from Saigon—2 Chinese.

Per Stentor, str., from Shanghai—17 Chinese.

Per Cheng Hoek Kian, str., from Penang,
&c.—2 Chinese.

Per Signal, str., from Pakhoi, &c.—Mr. and
Mrs. Stoffen, Mr. and Mrs. Chichester.

Per Amoy, str., from Swatow—55 Chinese.

Per Vorwerts, str., from Pakhoi, &c.—20
Chinese.

Per Leesang, str., from Saigon—2 Chinese.

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Per Stentor, str., from Shanghai—17 Chinese.

Per Ingabon, steamer, from Swatow.—Mr.
Schneidersdorf for Singapore and 230 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per Esmeraldo, str., for Amoy, &c.—Mr. A.
H. Stoffen, & Co.

Per Cauda, str., for Shanghai—H. H. Shaw

Yi Lin, Messrs. Sun Tan Ho, Wong Pat-
terson, and Rockhill, children of their
deceased.

Per Esmeraldo, str., for Yokohama—F. H.
Hart, Capt. and Mrs. Bonbury, Lieut. Kojima
Sada, Dr. F. A. Harris, from London—Dr. C.
H. Arnold, from Bombay—Hon. Major Mc-
Callum, from Nagasaki—From Hongkong—
Japanese woman.

REPORTS.

The German steamer *Lenn*, m. from
Swatow 31st July, reports had fresh S.W. monsoon.

The British steamer *Crusader*, from Hollow
31st July, reports had moderate breeze and fine
weather.

The German steamer *Vorwerts*, from Pakhoi
28th July, and Heibon 30th, reports had fine
weather throughout.

The British steamer *Lenn*, from Shanghai
27th July, reports had light S.W. winds and
fine weather throughout.

The German steamer *Signal*, from Pakhoi 28th
July, and Hollow 30th, reports fine and clear
weather with light southerly winds.

The British steamer *Cheney Hoek Kian*, from
Penang 20th July, Singapore 23rd, and Hollow
30th, reports fine weather with light S.W. winds
throughout.

The British steamer *Leesang*, from Shanghai
27th July, and Hollow 30th, reports fine and clear
weather throughout.

The German steamer *Signal*, from Pakhoi 28th
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OLLA PODRIDA.

During the present summer a university will be opened at Tomsk, in Siberia, the first of its kind in this part of the Russian Empire. At first it will consist of two faculties—historical-philological one and physical-mathematical. It already possesses a library with 50,000 books, presented by the Duke Nicholas of Lichtenstein.

Mr. Philip Haughton, and his friend Mr. Powell, the well-known oculist, have been arrested in France—probably, because they were considered to be German spies making military studies—on the charge that they were plotting to destroy the fort of Sedan. It is to be hoped that no reprisals will be attempted. It would be unwise to assume a Frenchman caught stealing a bit of Upper Thamond's money and putting it to his canvas.

An important change has been introduced in Prussian military surgery. The Minister of War has ordered that in the event of war the medical corps be allowed to act for the treatment of wounded men. The surgeons and medical corps are ordered to have the necessary materials ready at all times. For nearly fifteen years there has been a controversy amongst surgeons and military physicians as to this method, and of late opinion has so come round in its favor that the authorities have decided to make the change as stated.

A terrible accident occurred on the 20th June in a circus in Madrid. About the middle of the performance a Hungarian artiste named Sime Rodowka, aged 28, was making a descent from a balloon 40 feet above the ground, when she missed her hold of the parachute. She then caught hold desperately of the balloon, which gave way, and fell rapidly with her towards the floor. She was soon rescued, but her fall was so violent through the heat of the balloon.

It is evident that one finds anything particularly difficult. Blimps, especially those used to trade routes, but some remarks by Mr. Conrad Crawford, of Opera, afford a pleasing exception, as will be seen from the following:

"The Porting Tariff must be one of the most voluminous in existence. It deserves credit for its thoughtful completeness. It corresponds in every branch of imports to the most particular and minute detail. For instance, in the category of animal products, a special bill of lading is placed upon 'the tails of asses and mules'."

The London correspondent of the *Irish Times* states that an application has been received at the Patent Office to preserve the secret of the manufacture of the "Porting Tariff." It is said that the Prime Minister sees it as a matter of great importance to the nation.

The law establishing divorce in France came into force on the 27th of June, 1884. During the first five months of its operation, 17,000 petitions for a divorce were lodged; but out of this total all but 124 were for converting a separation into a divorce. The total number of petitions for a separation was 3,656, or 4% fewer than in 1883; but of these petitions 383 were based upon an allegation of adultery, as against only 198 attributed to the same cause in the previous year. In 84 cases out of 100 the petition was lodged by the wife. In 20 cases the petition for divorce there was no issue of marriage. No definite information is furnished as to the profession of the different petitioners. But 2,821 separations were granted; while 1,657 of the petitions for divorce were successful.

Adelina Patti is (says a London paper) just now very much to the fore, what with her wading and the series of concerts in which she is appearing at the Albert Hall under the auspices of the Amherst Avenue 45 of London Hall, who pays her \$2,000 in hard cash for her four appearances.

On the 18th June, in the presence of an assembly of the Highgate Gospel Temperance Help One Another Society, Mr. William Green, of Bishopwood House, Highgate, the president of the Society, destroyed his cellar of wine, about 2,500 bottles, in the cause of temperance.

Parak Tin Maha and Smelting Company

\$10 per share.

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$39 per share.

Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$77 per share.

Hongkong & China Bakery Company, Limited—\$10 per share.

Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—Tls. 18 per share.

Hongkong Rose Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$8 per share, sellers.

Hongkong & Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., Limited—Par. nominal.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A—2 per cent. premium.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1883 B—6 per cent. premium.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—8 per cent. premium.

Chinese Imperial Government 1535 Dollar Loan—3 per cent. premium.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Messrs. Falconer & Co.'s Register.)

JULY 31.

Thermometer—A.M. 84
Thermometer—P.M. 87
Thermometer—B.M. (Wet bulb) 80
Thermometer—I.W. (Wet bulb) 81
Thermometer—Maximum 87
Thermometer—Minimum (over night) 43

HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE.

END TO STRAIT OF MALACCA.

HIGH WATER.

LOW WATER.

HONGKONG HIGH WATER.

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W. POWELL & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. [172]

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The Undersigned Agents of the above Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates.

FUSTAU & Co.

Agents.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1886. [184]

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

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TUKE SHING & Co.

No. 18, D'Aguilar Street.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1886. [1500]

HONGKONG HOTEL.

M. R. J. ROBINSON has been appointed CLERK IN CHARGE until further notice.

MR. GREENLEY's connection with the Hotel Ceased on the 31st May last.

By Order,

HAUSCHILL,

Secretary.

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Hongkong, 9th July, 1886. [1349]

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. [71]

FIRE SALE.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, January, 1886. [927]

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Hongkong, 30th July, 1886. [38]

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Hongkong, 29th July, 1886. [1482]

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Hongkong, 1st June, 1886. [1106]

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WOO LIN YUEN,

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HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [567]

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Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. [19]

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Hongkong, 6th May, 1886. [932]

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JAS. B. COUGHTRELL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. [744]

SUMMER TIME TABLE.

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Kowloon Kowloon Kowloon Kowloon Kowloon

6.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M. 8.00 A.M. 9.00 A.M. 10.00 A.M.

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5.25 " 6.25 " 7.25 " 8.25 " 9.25 "

5.35 " 6.35 " 7.35 " 8.35 " 9.35 "

6.30 " 7.30 " 8.30 " 9.30 " 10.30 "

7.15 " 8.15 " 9.15 " 10.15 " 11.15 "

* There will be no Launch on Monday and Friday, on account of coaling.

The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In case of stress of weather, due notice will be given of any stoppage.

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TUKE SHING & Co.

No. 18, D'Aguilar Street.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1886. [1500]

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